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SUBJECT: VERIFICATION OF SPONSORSHIP OF LAO REFUGEES

- 1. HIAS VERIFIES SPONSORSHIP OF (A) BOUNSANITH THIRAKUL (L PERSON) BY MAJ. LIDGE O.J. JOHNSON OF HOPEWELL, VIR-GINIA AND (B) KHAMPOUVY CHOUNRAMANY AND FAMILY (6 PERSONS) BY BERNIE ZETTL AND KHAMSAVANG CHOUNRAMANY. AS INDICATED SEPTEL, OULASY CHOUNRAMANY IS EXPECTED TO TRAVEL WITH KHAMPOUVY'S FAMILY.
- 2. EMBASSY IS AUTHORIZED TO INITIATE MOVEMENT OF THESE REFUGEES. ICEM, ACTING AS AGENT FOR THE USG IN THIS REGARD, WILL ARRANGE TRANSPORTATION IN COORDINATION WITH EMBASSY. NO USG-FINANCED TRAVEL WILL BE AUTHORIZED FOR ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO WOULD ARRIVE IN US WITH MORE THAN DOLS 4,000 US PER CAPITA. PLEASE ADVISE INS AT PORT OF ENTRY OF DATE AND TIME OF ARRIVAL. INGERSOLL

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